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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FEBRUARY 11, 1884.

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APRIL 1, 1884.

Reported with amendments, Committee on Commerce discharged, referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed.

Omit the part struck through and insert the parts printed in *italics*.

Mr. JAMES introduced the following bill:

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Providing for the purchase of property on Staten Island for the marine hospital at the port of New York.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and
4 directed to purchase, *at a sum not exceeding two hundred and*
5 *eighty thousand dollars,* from the present owners, the property
6 in the town of Middletown, Richmond County, New York,
7 known as the Seaman's Retreat, consisting of thirty acres,
8 more or less, and the buildings thereon, together with a water

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